THE

RANYARD NURSES

(FOUNDED 1868)

NURSING BRANCH OF THE RANYARD MISSION

"It is our proud office to tend the fleshly tabernacle of the immortal spirit."

—Lord Lister.

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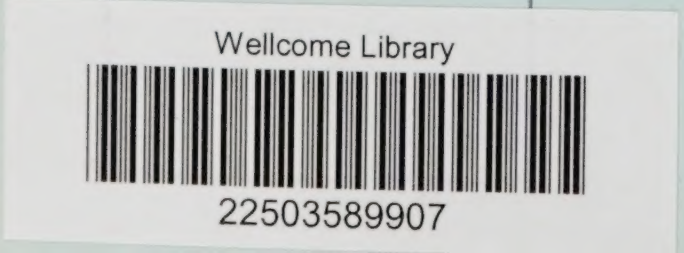

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Motto :

"ORARE EST LABORARE"

Aim.

To give skilled nursing to the sick in their own homes. To educate the family by enlisting their help where practicable. By advice and example to teach the principles of positive health.

Visits of Observation are arranged periodically for the trained Staff and for the Candidates. Visits include :— Metropolitan Water Board Works, Sewage Disposal Plant, Refuse Disposal Plant, Pasteurization of Milk Plant, Chest Clinic, Health Centre, Day Nursery, Nursery School Museum of the School of Hygiene and other places of interest.

Conferences of Senior Nurses who assist with the training of Candidates are held four times a year. Refresher Courses are held periodically.

1 Visit to Glaxo Laboratories.

2 Conference of Senior Nurses, who assist with the training of Candidates.

3 Lecture Hall.

The Ranyard Nurses work on districts in South East and South West areas of London.

The use of the bicycle is usually adequate.

Cars greatly facilitate the work on the large estates and for relief work.

The Male Nurses have found motor cycles the most useful form of transport as their work requires them to travel over a wide area.

The Superintendent pays periodical visits to the patients with the District Nurse. This gives the Nurse an opportunity for discussing the cases and the many difficult problems peculiar to district nursing.

An extract from a letter written by a Ranyard Nurse :—

"The work is hard yet in your heart you know you would not change it for anything else. You become something more than just nurse, you hear all about the things that worry and fret ; sometimes you can give advice, more often just the telling of the trouble to nurse eases and lifts the burden."

A Devotional Gathering is held at Ranyard House for all the Staff on the last Friday of each month, followed by tea. This gives an opportunity for fellowship with other workers.

An extract from a lecture on Vocational Nursing :-

"You are entering the Nursing Branch of the Ranyard Mission because you care for the patients, because you want to give yourself to District Nursing, and because the ruling force of your life is the fact that you belong to Christ and wish in every possible way to be used by Him."

This spirit, together with professional efficiency, is the standard required of a Ranyard Nurse.

CONDITIONS OF SERVICE.

1. The Nurse must be on the general part of the State Register and preferably have taken Part I Midwifery Training.

2. The Nurse shall undergo the six months approved course of training in district nursing in accordance with the syllabus of the Ranyard Nurses, except where she has already trained and been accepted as a Queen's Nurse.

3. The Nurse will receive during the period of her training, salary according to the pronouncement of the Whitley Council for non-resident student district nurses and her salary will be adjusted according to her qualifications and experience when she has successfully completed the six months approved course of district training.

4. Salary, sick pay, holidays and other conditions of service for all full-time members of the staff shall be in accordance with the recommendations of the Whitley Council.

5. The Nurse must as soon as she becomes a full-time member of the staff, pay superannuation contributions under the Ranyard Mission Scheme with the F.S.S.N. or any other scheme which may be in operation.

6. The Ranyard Nurses shall have the right to terminate the engagement at any time by giving the Nurse one month's notice in writing and the Nurse shall also have the right to terminate her engagement by giving one month's notice in writing.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS OF THE WORK
APPLY TO :

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